GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Social Welfare Department - SCAP 2018-19 - Economic Assistance Schemes - APSCCFC Ltd. - Convergence with PR Department/Swacch Bharat Mission – "Implementation of the scheme for providing "Power Autos (Swacch Bharat Mission) to S.C. beneficiaries" – Guidelines - Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (SCP) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 235 **Dated: 26-07-2018**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.34, PR&RD (Progs.II) Department, dated 20-04-2018.
2. G.O.Rt.No.629, PR&RD (Pts.III) Department, dated 25-05-2018.
3. From VC&MD,APSCCFC Ltd., Letter RH/656/APSC/2017, dated 06-06-2018.
4. Review on Welfare & Priority Activities by Hon'ble C.M. on 25-7-2018.

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ORDER:

The Government of Andhra Pradesh is implementing the Andhra Pradesh Scheduled Castes & Scheduled Tribes (Planning, Allocation & Utilization of Financial Resources) Act, 2013 for ensuring the accelerated development of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, with emphasis on achieving equality, economic, educational and human development, along with ensuring security & social dignity and promoting of equity among the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.

2. The engendering of livelihoods for the Scheduled Castes, is a key intervention area under the Act, and accordingly Bank/Institution linked schemes in general & a limited number of Direct funding schemes for livelihoods are being implemented through the APSCCFC Ltd.

3. In order to ensure that the livelihoods created provide sustained incomes to the intended S.C. beneficiaries, the design and implementation of feasible schemes leading to steady income generation, by the provision of assets in convergence with Departments/Schemes of the Government, is an identified priority area of Government.

4. In the reference 1st read above, the PR & RD Department has issued orders for the implementation of the Action Plan on ODF & ODF Plus activities, under the Swacch Bharat Mission, for solid waste management, liquid waste management, greening of villages and sustainability of ODF including the component of Power Auto(outsourced), for the collection of waste from door to door at designated place for transportation to the Solid Waste Management (SWM) shed, with bank loan and subsidy by convergence with the Welfare Finance Corporations.

5. In the Para (3) of the reference 2nd read above, the PR & RD Department has issued the detailed guidelines for the engagement in a convergence model of Power Autos in ODF Plus activities & procurement of Power Autos (eVehicle Semi Hydraulic) by the Welfare Finance Corporations, who are also to select the beneficiaries and provide the Power Auto, along with beneficiaries on hire basis to the Gram Panchayats, duly stipulating the financial model including the funding mechanism, tripartite agreement, maintenance of vehicles & have provided for sponsoring of (7,500) Power Autos (eVehicle Semi Hydraulic) by the APSCCFC Ltd.

6. In the reference 3rd read above, the VC & MD, APSCCFC Ltd. has sent a proposal with a request to the Government for permission to implement the scheme.

7. Government, after careful consideration of the proposal of the VC & MD, APSCCFC Ltd. hereby issue the following orders:

1) The nomenclature of the scheme shall be "Power Auto (Swacch Bharat Mission) for S.C. beneficiaries".

2) The scheme shall be implemented in a convergence approach, duly following the guidelines issued by the PR & RD Department, in the reference 1st and 2nd cited, subject to the necessary modifications, as may be required, for compliance with the rules and regulations of the APSCCFC Ltd. & those prescribed by the concerned agencies/ institutions/scheme providing the loan component.

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3) The unit cost & vendor shall be finalized by the APSCCFC Ltd., by adopting a transparent process, as per the prescribed procedure & as per the technical/ warranty/ maintenance/ etc. specifications/parameters fixed by the PR & RD Department.

4) The subsidy component of (60) % of the finalized unit cost, limited to the upper ceiling of Rs 1,00,000 shall be provided under the scheme & balance as NSFDC/NSKFDC loan component, as applicable to the selected beneficiary.

5) A tripartite agreement jointly vetted by the APSCCFC Ltd. and the PR & RD Department shall be communicated for adoption by all concerned.

6) The tripartite agreement shall be signed by the (i) ED, DSCCSC Ltd., (ii) District Panchayat Officer and (iii) concerned beneficiary.

7) The entire process flow of notification, application, selection, sanction, subsidy release, grounding, recovery, etc. of the scheme shall be hosted on the OBMMS platform, duly customized for the purpose of the scheme.

8) The selection of the beneficiaries shall be made by the existing Selection Committee for the NSFDC/NSKFDC schemes, with the District Panchayat Officer being coopted as the additional member.

9) The Safai Karamcharis belonging S.C.(Woman) category shall be given the 1st preference under the scheme. The 2nd preference shall be given to S.C.(Male) Safai Karamchari. The 3rd & 4th preference shall be given to S.C.(Woman) & S.C.(Male) respectively, in case there are no S.C. Safai Karamcharis in the concerned Gram Panchayat.

10) A certificate issued by the District Panchayat Officer shall be the basis for determining eligibility for applying as Safai Karamchari under the scheme. Further, a certificate issued by the District Panchayat Officer shall also be the basis for determining that there are no Safai Karamcharis available in the G.P.

11) The number of units to be positioned in the Gram Panchayats & notified shall be determined by the VC & Managing Director, APSCCFC Ltd. in consultation with the PR & RD Department with due consideration to the need and economic feasibility. Further, the phasing of the roll-out of the scheme shall also be done in consultation with the PR & RD Department.

8. The VC & Managing Director, APSCCFC Ltd., Tadepalli shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.S. RAWAT
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The VC & Managing Director, APSCCFC Ltd., Tadepalli, Guntur.
The Director, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Vijayawada.
The Managing Director, Swacch Andhra Corporation, Vijayawada.
The Director of Social Welfare, A.P., Tadepalli.
All District Collectors in the State.

Copy to:-

All E.D.s of DSCCSC Ltd in the State.
All District Panchayat Officers in the State.
The Project Manager(OBMMS),CGG.
The Secretary,(RWS) Department, GoAP.
The Principal Secretary, PR & RD Department.
The Principal Secretary, SW & TW Department.
The Finance(FMU-Welfare) Department.
P.S. to Secretary to C.M.
P.S. to C.S.
P.S. to Minister(PR & RD)
P.S. to Minister(SWE & TWE)

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